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1. The DOEBERITZ (N 53/2 65) airfield was occupied by a newly arrived air unit. Forty-two aircraft were counted in front of the closed hangars. An estimated 60 to 70 aircraft were parked at the field. Description: Two-seat craft, a machine gun set at rear section of cockpit, in-line engine, landing gear retractable rearward, fixed tail wheel, antenna rod on top of cockpit and on fuselage forward of rudder assembly.
2. There was flying with 11 aircraft and some biplanes throughout the morning. Tactical symbols were not observed.

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4. About 60 single-engine low-wing monoplanes with in-line engine, big gun barrel at rear section of oblong cockpit, and some U-2s were parked in front of the hangars on the southern side of the DOEBERITZ airfield. There was no flying in the afternoon.

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5. Twenty-two gondola cars, oriquettes being unloaded from some, were standing on the airfield spur track.

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Comment:

Report confirms that the DOMBAY airfield was occupied by a ground attack unit +. From the presence of 60 to 70 IL-10s it is concluded that two ground attack regiments are stationed there.

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